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NEGOTIATING SECURE CONNECTIONS THROUGH A PROXY SERVER

and invented by:

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 - f. Brief Summary of the Invention
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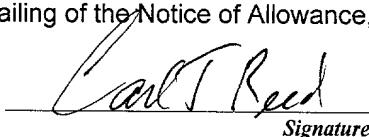
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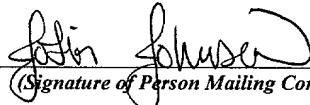
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